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**FOR THE YEAR OF OUR LORD**  
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In the year 1911 there will be two Eclipses of the Sun. For a statement of said Eclipses the reader is referred to the second January page of this Almanack, the customary space here being too small to contain the Eclipses that will take place this year.

For morning and Evening Stars see p. 5; Planets' Greatest Brilliancy, p. 7.

#### MOVABLE FESTIVALS.

Septuagesima Sunday	-	-	February	12
Quinquagesima Sunday	-	-	February	26
Shrove Tuesday	-	-	February	28
Ash Wednesday	-	-	March	1
Palm Sunday	-	-	April	9
Easter Sunday	-	-	April	16
Ascension-Day, or Holy Thursday	-	-	May	25
Whit Sunday, or Pentecost	-	-	June	4
Trinity Sunday	-	-	June	11
Corpus Christi	-	-	June	15
First Sunday in Advent	-	-	December	3
Sundays after Trinity are	-	-		24
Christmas falls on Monday.				

#### CHRONOLOGICAL CYCLES.

Dominical Letter	-	-	-	-	A.
Lunar Cycle, or Golden Number	-	-	-	-	12
Epact	-	-	-	-	30
Solar Cycle	-	-	-	-	16
Roman Indiction	-	-	-	-	9
Julian Period	-	-	-	-	6624

#### EMBER DAYS.

1st.	On March 8, 10, 11.
2d.	On June 7, 9, 10.
3rd.	On September 20, 22, 23.
4th.	On December 20, 22, 23.

The Jewish Era with their year 5672 commences the 22d of September, 1911.

The Mohammedan Era with their year 1329 begins January 2d; the year 1330 begins December 22d, 1911.

#### THE FOUR SEASONS OR CARDINAL POINTS.

VERNAL EQUINOX,	☉ enters ♈ the 21st of March, 1 o'clock, Afternoon.
SUMMER SOLSTICE,	☉ enters ☊ the 22d of June, 8 o'clock, Morning.
AUTUMNAL EQUINOX,	☉ enters ☎ the 23d of September, 11 o'clock, Evening.
WINTER SOLSTICE,	☉ enters ♏ the 22d of December, 6 o'clock, Evening.

MARS ♂ is called the Governing Planet this year.

All the calculations in this Almanack are made to Solar or apparent Time; to which add the Equation in the Hour-Table when the Sun is slow, and subtract when it is fast, for Mean or Clock Time.

*Calculated expressly for Hagerstown, Md.*

#### CHARACTERS OF THE CONSTELLATIONS:

♈ Aries, the ram.	♌ Leo, the lion.	♐ Sagittarius, the bowman.
♉ Taurus, the bull.	♍ Virgo, the virgin.	♑ Capricornus, the goat.
♊ Gemini, the twins.	♎ Libra, the balance.	♒ Aquarius, the butler.
♋ Cancer, the crab.	♏ Scorpio, the scorpion.	♓ Pisces, the fishes.

#### ASTRONOMICAL CHARACTERS EXPLAINED.



New Moon.



Full Moon.



First Quarter.



Last Quarter.

♋ Moon's asc. Node, or Dragon's head.

♏ Moon's desc. Node, or Dragon's tail.

☾ Moon's Ascension.

☾ Moon's Descension.

☾ Moon in apogee, furthest from the earth.

☾ Moon in perigee, nearest to the earth.

#### PLANETS AND ASPECTS.

☉ Sun,  
♿ Mercury,  
♀ Venus,  
♁ Earth,  
☾ Moon,

♂ Mars,  
♃ Jupiter,  
♄ Saturn,  
♃ Herschel,  
♆ Neptune.

♊ Conjunction, or planets in the same longitude.  
✱ Sextile, when they are 60 degrees apart.  
☐ Quartile, when they are 90 degrees distant.  
△ Trine, when they are 120 degrees distant.  
♏ Opposition, when they are 180 degrees apart.



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The Hagerstown Town and Country  
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Being the 136th of the Independence of the United States  
and a Year of 365 Days.

ARRANGED AFTER THE SYSTEM OF THE GERMAN CALENDARS.

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The rising, setting, and Eclipses of the Sun and Moon; the phases, places, and southing of the Moon; the aspects of the planets; the rising, setting, and southing of the most conspicuous planets and fixed stars; the equation of time; with a variety of useful and entertaining matter, anecdotes, a list of Courts, &c., &c.

*Carefully calculated for the Horizon of Maryland, but will serve for  
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Weeks and Days.	Remarkable Days.	Moon South. h. m.	Moon r. & s. h. m.	Moon's pl. noon. sig. deg.	Aspects of Planets, and other miscellaneous matter.	SUN slo. m.	SUN rises. h. m.	SUN sets. h. m.	O. style.
1 <i>New Year's Sunday.</i> <i>Matt. 2.</i> <i>Day's length 9 hours 14 min.</i>									
Sunday	1 <i>New Year</i>	12 58	5 27		22 $\odot$ H $\odot$ . $\odot$ H $\odot$ . h sets 1 49	47	23 4	37 19	
Mond.	2 Abel, Seth.	1 50	6 35		9 h stationary	47	23 4	37 20	
Tuesd.	3 Enoch	2 40	7 41		21 $\oplus$ in Per. $\mathcal{U}$ rises 2 30	57	23 4	37 21	
Wedn.	4 Methusalem	3 28	8 58		8 $\delta$ in Perihelion	57	22 4	38 22	
Thurs.	5 Simon	4 14	9 59		20 $\mathcal{U}$ gr. lib. east. $\odot$ $\delta$ $\odot$ $\delta$ H $\odot$ .	67	22 4	38 23	
Friday	6 <i>Epiphany</i>	4 59	11 2		7 $\delta$ sets 5 29	67	21 4	39 24	
Saturd.	7 Isidore	5 45	morn.		19 $\delta$ in Aphelion	77	21 4	39 25	
2 <i>1st Sunday after Epiphany.</i> <i>Luke 2.</i> <i>Day's length 9 hours 20 min.</i>									
Sunday	8 Erhard	6 32	12 37		6  8. $\odot$ H $\odot$ . h sets 1 1	77	20 4	40 26	
Mond.	9 Julian	7 23	1 47		18  Capella south 9 45	77	20 4	40 27	
Tuesd.	10 <i>Paul's imp</i>	8 17	3 12		0 $\odot$ $\delta$ $\odot$ inf. $\mathcal{U}$ <sup>ri-</sup> <sub>ses</sub> 2 8 $\mathcal{U}$ $\odot$	87	19 4	41 28	
Wedn.	11 Hyginus	9 17	4 28		13 $\delta$ $\Psi$ $\odot$ Rigel south 9 41	87	19 4	41 29	
Thurs.	12 Rinehold	10 21	5 46		27 $\mathcal{U}$ in Per. $\delta$ rises 4 57	97	18 4	42 30	
Friday	13 Veronica	11 26	6 55		10 $\delta$ sets 5 44	97	17 4	43 31	
Saturd.	14 Felix	morn.	$\mathcal{U}$ rises		22  14. $\odot$ $\Psi$ $\odot$ . Aldebaran south 8 42	97	17 4	43 Jan	
3 <i>2d Sunday after Epiphany.</i> <i>John 2.</i> <i>Day's length 9 hours 28 min.</i>									
Sunday	15 Maurice	12 30	5 51		6 $\delta$ gr. Hel. Lat. north	107	16 4	44 2	
Mond.	16 Marcellus	1 30	7 8		21 $\odot$ H $\odot$ $\odot$ h sets 12 47	107	15 4	45 3	
Tuesd.	17 <i>Franklin b.</i>	2 24	8 19		3 $\mathcal{U}$ rises 1 45	107	14 4	46 4	
Wedn.	18 Anthony	2 13	9 24		17 $\mathcal{U}$ gr. libration west	117	13 4	47 5	
Thurs.	19 Sarah	3 58	10 30		2 $\delta$ rises 4 55 $\odot$ enters	117	12 4	48 6	
Friday	20 F & Sebast.	4 41	11 35		15 $\square$ h $\odot$ . $\delta$ sets 6 3	117	11 4	49 7	
Saturd.	21 Agnes	5 22	morn.		29 $\delta$ stationary. Castor south 11 25	127	10 4	50 8	
4 <i>3d Sunday after Epiphany.</i> <i>Matt. 8.</i> <i>Day's length 9 hours 42 min.</i>									
Sunday	22 Vincent	6 4	12 36		10  22. h sets 12 25	127	9 4	51 9	
Mond.	23 Emerenth	6 46	1 24		22 $\odot$ H $\odot$ . $\mathcal{U}$ <sup>ri-</sup> <sub>ses</sub> 1 27. $\mathcal{U}$ in $\odot$	127	8 4	52 10	
Tuesd.	24 Timothy	7 30	2 0		4 $\mathcal{U}$ in Apo. Reg. so. 10 38	137	8 4	52 11	
Wedn.	25 <i>Paul's Con.</i>	8 17	3 6		16 Arcturus rises 10 22	137	7 4	53 12	
Thurs.	26 Polycarpus	9 7	4 5		28 $\odot$ $\delta$ $\odot$ . $\delta$ rises 4 49	137	6 4	54 13	
Friday	27 J. Chrysost	9 58	5 6		11 $\delta$ sets 6 19	137	5 4	55 14	
Saturd.	28 Ch'lemagne	10 51	6 1		23 $\odot$ $\delta$ $\odot$ . Pollux south 11 9	137	4 4	56 15	
5 <i>4th Sunday after Epiphany.</i> <i>Matt. 8.</i> <i>Day's length 9 hours 54 minutes.</i>									
Sunday	29 <i>McKinley b</i>	11 44	6 47		4 $\odot$ H $\odot$ . h sets	137	3 4	57 16	
Mond.	30 Adelgunda	Ev 35	$\mathcal{U}$ sets		16  30. $\delta$ gr. Hel. Lat. so.	147	2 4	58 17	
Tuesd.	31 Virgil	1 24	6 27		28 $\odot$ $\delta$ $\odot$ . Sirius so. 9 43	147	1 4	59 18	



**MOON'S PHASES.**

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*New Moon*, the 30th, at 4 o'clock 44 minutes in the morning.

**Conjecture of the Weather.**

1, 2, cloudy; 3, 4, snow; 5, 6, cold; 7, 8 frosty; 9, 10, clear; 11, 12, windy; 13, 14, 15, fair; 16, 17, variable; 18, 19, rain; 20, 21, 22, cold; 23, 24, windy; 25, 26, 27, variable; 28, 29, 30, rainy; 31, clear.

**COURT OF APPEALS OF MARYLAND  
APRIL TERM, 1906.**

**THE GRUBER ALMANACK COMPANY**

vs.

**OTHO SWINGLEY.**

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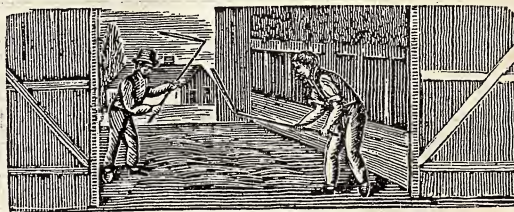
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**THE GRUBER ALMANACK CO.,****HAGERSTOWN, MD.****ECLIPSES IN 1911.**

In the year 1911 there will be two eclipses of the Sun.

I. The first is a Total Eclipse of the Sun, on April 28, visible as a small partial eclipse, the Sun setting eclipsed. Also visible in Australia.



II. The second is an Annular Eclipse of the Sun, on October 21, invisible in America, visible in Asia, Borneo, New Guinea and Australia.

**MORNING AND EVENING STARS.**

**MORNING**—Venus, after September 25; Mars, until November 24; Jupiter, until April 21, after November 17; Saturn after April 30, until November 10; Mercury, January 10 to March 20; May 5 to July 3; September 9 to October 23; after December 25.

**EVENING**—Venus, until September 25; Mars, after November 24; Jupiter, after April 21, until November 17; Saturn, until April 30, after November 10; Mercury, to January 10; March 20 to May 5; July 3 to September 9; October 23 to December 25.

**PLANETS' GREATEST BRILLIANCY.**

Mercury rises before the Sun February 2, June 1, September 25; sets after the Sun April 14, August 3, December 7. Venus, August 10, October 22. Mars, November 12. Jupiter, April 30. Saturn, November 10. Uranus, July 21. Neptune, January 11.





The term "harvest moon" has been given in Northern latitudes to the full moon of the lunation which occurs about the time of the autumnal equinox. The circumstance which has made it noticeable and given it its name is that during this lunation the rising of the moon for several successive days before and after the full takes place nearly at the same hour, thus favoring the work of the farmer during harvest, whereas, taking the year through, the rising is retarded on an average fifty minutes per diem. The cause of this phenomenon is the coincidence at this time of the moon's orbit with the plane of the ecliptic, bringing the moon nearer the horizon at the close of the day.

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




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Wedn	1 Ignatius	2 12	7 44	 10	gr. lib. east ♀ rises 12 54	14 6	59 5	1 19	
Thurs.	2 <i>Candlemas</i>	2 58	8 54	 24	gr. elon. west ♀ rises 6 13	14 6	58 5	2 20	
Friday	3 Blasius	3 43	10 7	 9	☐ ♀ ☉. ♂ rises 4 41	14 6	57 5	3 21	
Saturd.	4 Gilbert	4 30	11 12	 23	♀ sets 6 40	14 6	56 5	4 22	








6 5th Sunday after Epiphany. Matt. 13. Day's length 10 hours 10 min.

Sunday	5 Agatha	5 19	morn.	 8	♂ ♄. ♄ sets 11 33	14 6	55 5	5 23
Mond.	6 Dorothy	6 11	12 59	 22	6. Pollux south 10 35. ♄ in ♍	14 6	54 5	6 24
Tuesd.	7 Richard	7 7	1 48	 4	♀ in ♍. 7* south 9 22	14 6	53 5	7 25
Wedn.	8 Solomon	8 7	2 42	 17	Antares rises 3 30	14 6	52 5	8 26
Thurs.	9 Appollonia	9 10	3 39	 29	♄ in Per. Spica rises 10 2	14 6	51 5	9 27
Friday	10 Scholastica	10 13	4 32	 11	♂ ♄. ♂ ♄. ♂ rises 4 30	14 6	50 5	10 28
Saturd.	11 Euphrosina	11 13	5 29	 22	♀ sets 6 57	14 6	48 5	12 29

7 Septuagesima Sunday. Matt. 20. Day's length 10 hours 26 min.

Sunday	12 <i>Lincoln b.</i>	morn.	6 17	 10	♄ rises 12 33	14 6	47 5	13 30
Mond.	13 Lesin	12 9	♄ rises	 22	13. ♄ sets 11 4	14 6	46 5	14 31
Tuesd.	14 <i>Valentine</i>	1 1	7 14	 9	Rigel south 7 16	14 6	45 5	15 Feb
Wedn.	15 Juliania	1 48	8 13	 21	♄ gr. libration west	14 6	43 5	17 2
Thurs.	16 Faustinus	2 33	9 17	 2	Denebola south 24	14 6	42 5	18 3
Friday	17 Constantine	3 15	10 19	 15	♄ in Aph. ♂ rises 4 30	14 6	41 5	19 4
Saturd.	18 Concordia	3 57	11 21	 28	♀ sets 7 12	14 6	40 5	20 5

8 Sexagesima Sunday. Luke 8. Day's length 10 hours 44 min.

Sunday	19 Susanna	4 40	morn.	 11	♄ ♄. ♄ rises 11 47	14 6	38 5	22 6
Mond.	20 Eucharis	5 24	12 24	 23	20. ☉ enters ♋	14 6	37 5	23 7
Tuesd.	21 Eleonora	6 10	12 54	 8	♄ in Apo. ♄ sets 10 36	14 6	36 5	24 8
Wedn.	22 <i>Washng'n b</i>	6 58	1 56	 22	Sirius south 8 16	14 6	35 5	25 9
Thurs.	23 Serenus	7 49	2 56	 6	Aldebaran south 6 2	13 6	33 5	27 10
Friday	24 Matthias	8 41	3 52	 20	♄ ♄. ♂ rises 4 22	13 6	32 5	28 11
Saturd.	25 Victor	9 34	4 44	 1	♄ ♄. ♄ sets 7 30	13 6	31 5	29 12

9 Quinquagesima Sunday. Luke 18. Day's length 11 hours 2 min.

Sunday	26 Jeremiah	10 26	5 28	 14	♄ rises 11 21	13 6	29 5	31 13
Mond.	27 Leander	11 16	6 20	 26	♄ gr. lib. east. ♂ ♄	13 6	28 5	32 14
Tuesd.	28 <i>Shrove Tu.</i>	Ev 15	♄ sets	 10	28. ♄ sets 10 12	13 6	27 5	33 15



### MOON'S PHASES.

*First Quarter*, the 6th, at 8 o'clock 27 minutes in the forenoon.

*Full Moon*, the 13th, at 5 o'clock 37 minutes in the morning.

*Last Quarter*, the 20th, at 10 o'clock 44 minutes in the evening.

*New Moon*, the 28th, at 7 o'clock 31 minutes in the evening.

### Conjecture of the Weather.

1, 2, clear and cold; 3, 4, fair; 5, variable; 6, 7, windy; 8, 9, 10, clear; 11, 12, variable; 13, 14, 15, rain or snow; 16, 17, 18, fair and cold; 19, 20, 21, clear; 22, 23, misty; 24, 25, windy; 26, 27, 28, snow or rain.

### VALUE OF BIRDS.

The practical farmer cannot afford to ignore the relations which birds bear to his crops. They are a part of the natural resources of any farm. The farmer will prosper in proportion to the way he encourages these extra hands that nature has given him.

According to a recent report of the Government, insects alone cause an annual loss to the trees of the country estimated at more than \$100,000,000.

Birds police the earth and air, and without their services the farmer would be helpless. Larks, wrens and thrushes search the ground for grubs and insects. The food of the meadow-lark consists of seventy-five per cent. of injurious insects and twelve per cent. of weed seed, showing that it is a bird of great economic value. Sparrows, finches and quail eat a large amount of weed seed.

In a day's time a chickadee has been known to eat hundreds of insect eggs and worms that are very harmful to our trees and vegetables. Warblers and vireos hunt the leaves and buds for moths and millers.

Flycatchers, swallows and nighthawks are busy day and night catching flies that bother man and beast. Hawks and owls are working silently in daylight and darkness to catch moles, mice, gophers and squirrels.

When some people wipe the perspiration from their brow they absorb the moisture from the most neglected and uncultivated part of their possessions.



### COTTONSEED—A ROMANCE.

Was ever there a history this side of Cinderella of the uprising of humility like that of the cottonseed? See?

For seventy years despised as a nuisance and burned or dumped as garbage.

Then discovered to be the very food for which the soil was hungering, and reluctantly admitted to the rank of ugly utilities.

Shortly afterwards found to be nutritious food for beasts as well as soil, and thereupon treated with something like respect.

Once admitted to the circle of farm husbandries, found to hold 35 gallons of pure oil to the ton, worth in its crude state \$14 to the ton, or \$40,000,000 for the whole crop of seed.

But then a system was devised for refining this oil to the value of \$1 a gallon, and the frugal Italians placed a cask of it at the root of every olive tree and then defied the Borean breath of the Alps.

And then experience showed that the ton of cottonseed was a better fertilizer and a better stock when robbed of its 35 gallons of oil than before.





Regarded from a merely mechanical standpoint, the human body is so infinitely complex, so exquisitely responsive, so strangely perfect, that by comparison it dwarfs all other things known to man, and stands alone as the wonder of the world. In all mechanics and architecture, in all the machines and inventions of man, there has not been discovered one single device that is not found in the human body. The arch, the lever, the inclined plane; a pump, a grist mill, a stringed instrument; hinges, pulleys, ball and socket joints—all these and a score of other man-made inventions are merely crude copies of the same devices found in the human body. The lungs, through their 6,000,000,000 tiny openings, have a surface equal to a room 40 feet square. The body contains 2,000 miles of tubing through which half a barrel of fluid is constantly pouring. The blood travels 168 miles a day. Truly, we are "fearfully and wonderfully made."

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

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








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Wedn.	1 <i>Ash Wedn.</i>	12 33	6 39	 27	♄ stationary	13 6	25 5	35 16	
Thurs.	2 Simplicius	1 39	7 46	 8	♂♀♄. ♀ sets 7 40	12 6	24 5	36 17	
Friday	3 Samuel	2 27	9 1	 20	♂ rises 4 13	12 6	23 5	37 18	
	4 Adrian	3 15	10 14	 6	♂♄♄. ♀ sets 9 57	12 6	21 5	39 19	








10 1st Sunday in Lent. Matt. 4. Day's length 11 hours 20 min.

Sunday	5 Frederick	4 7	11 28	 18	♄ rises 10 52. ♄ in ♄	12 6	20 5	40 20	
Mond.	6 Fridolin	5 2	morn.	 0	♄ in Per. Castor south 8 34	12 6	19 5	41 21	
Tuesd.	7 Perpetua	6 1	12 43	 13	♄ 7. Spica south 7 23	11 6	17 5	43 22	
Wedn.	8 <i>Ember Day</i>	7 2	1 22	 25	♂ rises 4 9	11 6	16 5	44 23	
Thurs.	9 Prudentia	8 4	2 31	 11	♀ sets 7 51	11 6	15 5	45 24	
Friday	10 Apollonius	9 4	3 33	 23	♂♄♄. ♀ gr. Hel. Lat. S.	11 6	13 5	47 25	
Saturd.	11 Julius	10 0	4 28	 7	♂♄♄. ♀ sets 9 34	10 6	12 5	48 26	







11 2d Sunday in Lent. Matt. 15. Day's length 11 hours 38 min.

Sunday	12 Gregory	10 52	5 16	 21	♄ rises 10 26	10 6	11 5	49 27	
Mond.	13 Macedon	11 40	5 43	 6	♄ gr. libration west	10 6	10 5	50 28	
Tuesd.	14 Zachariah	morn.	Drises	 20	♄ 14. Pollux so. 8 13	9 6	8 5	52	Mor.
Wedn.	15 Christopher	12 25	7 11	 1	Sirius south 6 57	9 6	7 5	53	2
Thurs.	16 Cyprianus	1 18	8 4	 13	♀ sets 8 13	9 6	6 5	54	3
Friday	17 St. Patrick	1 51	9 8	 27	♂ rises 3 59	9 6	4 5	56	4
Saturd.	18 Anshelmus	2 33	10 10	 10	♄♄♄. ♀ rises 9 59 ♄ in ♄	8 6	3 5	57	5

12 3d Sunday in Lent. Luke 11. Day's length 11 hours 56 min.

Sunday	19 St. Joseph	3 17	11 12	 22	♄ sets 9 6	8 6	2 5	58	6
Mond.	20 Matrona	4 2	morn.	 8	Procyon so. 743 [♂♀♄ Sup.	8 6	1 5	59	7
Tuesd.	21 Benedict	4 50	12 46	 21	♄ in Apo. ♂ en-terst. ♄ Spr. beg. D. & N. eq.	7 6	0 6	0	8
Wedn.	22 Paulina	5 40	1 43	 3	♄ 22. Rigel sets 10 31	7 5	59 6	1	9
Thurs.	23 Alphonsus	6 31	2 34	 16	♀ sets 8 31	7 5	57 6	3	10
Friday	24 Gabriel	7 23	3 23	 28	♄♄♄. 7* sets 10 34	6 5	56 6	4	11
Saturd.	25 Ann. V.M.	8 15	4 1	 11	♄♄♄. ♂ rises 3 34	6 5	54 6	6	12

13 4th Sunday in Lent. John 6. Day's length 12 hours 16 min.

Sunday	26 Emanuel	9 5	4 46	 24	♄ gr. lib. east. ♀ in ♄	6 5	52 6	8	13
Mond.	27 Gustavus	9 55	5 3	 9	♄ rises 9 20	6 5	51 6	9	14
Tuesd.	28 Gideon	10 43	5 32	 23	♄ sets 8 37	5 5	50 6	10	15
Wedn.	29 Eustasius	10 30	5 58	 7	♄♀♄ at 1 o'clock morning. ♀ in ♄	5 5	48 6	12	16
Thurs.	30 Guido	Ev-18	♄ sets	 21	♄ 30. ♄ stationary	5 5	47 6	13	17
Friday	31 Detlaus	1 7	7 57	 2	♀ sets 8 46	4 5	46 6	14	18



### MOON'S PHASES

*First Quarter*, the 7th, at 6 o'clock 1 minute in the evening.

*Full Moon*, the 14th, at 6 o'clock 58 minutes in the evening.

*Last Quarter*, the 22nd, at 7 o'clock 26 minutes in the evening.

*New Moon*, the 30th, at 7 o'clock, 37 minutes in the morning.

### Conjecture of the Weather.

1, 2, misty; 3, 4, clear; 5, 6, 7, mild; 8, 9, cold; 10, 11 variable; 12, 13, 14, rain or snow; 15, 16, clear; 17, 18, mild; 19, 20, warm; 21, 22, rain, with snow; 23, 24, fair; 25, 26, 27, cloudy; 28, 29, variable; 30, 31, windy and mild.

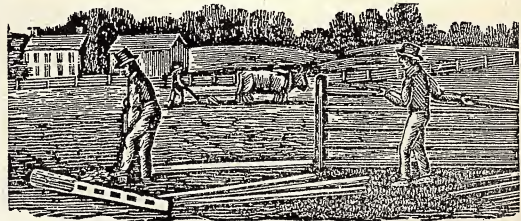
### FARM AND GARDEN.

Plan the garden now. That's the idea! Don't leave it until the time comes to plant, and then go at it haphazard.

Try the hotbed and dirtbands for sweet corn and pole beans. It will work all right, and give beans and corn a week or two ahead of the other fellow.

That a stony or hilly field unfit for the plow will grow fine trees and produce choice apples in abundance many people do not know, but such is a fact. Simply dig generous holes when planting and set the trees carefully. Then see to it that henceforth they are kept well mulched with straw, manure, leaves, a foot of mold out of the forest, or with cut grass. Anything will do, but it must be kept there, even if it has to be weighted down. I have seen thrifty trees growing where they were mulched a foot deep with small stones. The trees must also be protected from borers, etc. Given these favors, they will live and thrive with never a moment of cultivation. Don't be without fruit and income because you have only a stony field in which to set trees, for that is a good spot.

Here are a few condensed rules: Trim a little every year, rather than much in any one year. Peach trees require more pruning than most trees; at least one-half of the new growth should be removed each season. Cherry trees require the least pruning; merely cut out dead, broken or "crossed" limbs. Other trees need a judicious thinning out and, sometimes, cutting back. If two branches interlock, remove the smaller one. Avoid cutting so as to leave "stubs"; make neat cuts close to union; paint all large wounds. Be chary of cutting off large limbs; if it must be done, saw on under side first, partly through, then saw from above.



Plant a few tomatoes of an early variety in pots or tin cans in a sunny window in the house early enough to come into bloom the first part of May, when you can transplant them to the garden.

All forestry and timber experts tell us that we are using our trees three or four times as fast as Nature is growing them, and that we are rapidly approaching a timber famine that will prove must disastrous to the whole country. This being true, it is the duty of every landholder to plant a small per cent. at least of his land to suitable trees.

**Tarring Corn**—In coating seed corn with coal-tar as a protection against crows and black-birds, put the grain into a pail and pour on enough warm water to cover it. Add a teaspoonful of tar to a peck, and stir well. Throw the corn out on a sieve or in a basket to drain, and then stir in a few handfuls of land plaster (gypsum). Do not pour the tar on the dry seed.

There is one point in strawberry culture that is rarely understood as it should be, and this is: Do not allow the plants to set too thickly in the row. A strawberry plant not needed is a weed in a patch. It is the first or earlier plants that set, that produce the big berries; while the late plants make the little things that are a nuisance to the grower, the picker, the dealer and the consumer.

It is well to keep in mind the fact that the earlier tomato plants can be set in the field and made to live the earlier the crop will ripen. To this end keep the plants growing steadily now, and get them into the coldframes as soon as large enough. The change to the coldframes will be quite a shock to the plants unless the soil in them is in the right condition.

Got any flower seed or bulbs left that you can't give to some poor family? Plant them along the public road, far from any houses, where they may rejoice some weary traveler and brighten life for even a bee.

Working the soil while it is too wet and soggy is bad. Don't be in too great a hurry.

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### MOON'S PHASES.

*First Quarter*, the 6th, at 12 o'clock 54 minutes in the morning.

*Full Moon*, the 13th, at 9 o'clock 36 minutes in the morning.

*Last Quarter*, the 21st, at 1 o'clock 35 minutes in the afternoon.

*New Moon*, the 26th, at 5 o'clock 25 minutes in the evening.

### Conjecture of the Weather.

1, 2, 3, fair; 4, 5, 6, windy; 7, 8, frosty; 9, 10, cloudy; 11, 12, 13, variable; 14, 15, rainy; 16, 17, fair; 18, 19, warm; 20, 21, 22, rainy; 23, 24, 25, clear; 26, 27, 28, fair; 29, 30, misty.

Jupiter (♃) is in opposition with the Sun on the 30th and shines all night.

### DAIRY AND LIVE STOCK.

For many years now Danish butter has been crowding the English article in the London markets. The butter of Denmark is considered the best in Europe, and by many is regarded as better than anything produced in America.

The secret of Danish dairy superiority is cleanliness, not spasmodic and in spots, but absolute cleanliness from stable to consumer. The methods employed by the Danes in the handling of milk would be a revelation to most American dairymen and dealers.

The best preservative of milk is cold, and it is the only one to use. The two best friends of the dairyman are ice and cleanliness.

A cow with a big bag pressed full of milk cannot be very comfortable. Milk such cows three times a day.

The cows should not be driven faster than a walk while on the way to the place of milking or feeding.

The calves that are to be raised to re-enforce the dairy should be fed from a pail. They should be taught to drink when two or three days old.

Confucius was a great Chinese philosopher who lived 3,000 years before Christ. His is the greatest personality in all Chinese history, yet he said this: "When I was keeper of the herds I always saw to it that all of my cattle were strong, healthy and growing, and that there was water in abundance and plenty of feed."



Horses that are working hard every day, as well as those that are in winter quarters, should have a bran mash at least once each week. To make the mash properly the bran should be stirred in the boiling water, just as our mothers made corn-meal mush. Put a little salt in the mash and a cup of molasses, and cover the pail up tightly to steam and to cool sufficiently to be eaten with comfort. Feed warm, but not hot enough to burn the horse's mouth, or he will not touch it again. These properly made bran mashes prevent constipation and a hundred attendant ills.

When walking up a steep hill on the road with a big load, "chock the wheel" now and then to rest the tired horses.

Pigs can be made to pay, provided they be given rational treatment and handled understandingly. The lean pig and the young one, and plenty of his kind, are what the American public want. Juicy loins and fresh hams, chops that are not too fat, and frying pieces with little to suggest greasiness, are demanded; and it is identically what the producer can produce at most profit and in the least time.

There are too many people raising pigs for market today who forget that the most profitable porker is the one raised in four to five months, and sold without fattening, at a weight of 100 to 150 pounds.

We keep sheep all the year round largely for the sake of the lambs. A bit of neglect in the spring may rob us of all we have otherwise gained.







If you have a nice dry piece of ground, let the sheep out upon it when the first green grass comes. It will help to keep them healthy.

Wool is quite like a sponge. It holds a lot of water and water is heavy. Try to keep the sheep in out of cold storms. The keeping of sheep is a noble and historic vocation, as well as a profitable one.








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






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Mond.	1 <i>Philip &amp; Ja.</i>	2 43	10 45	 15	♂♂♂. ♀♀♀. ♂ rises 2 41	35	7 6 53	18	
Tuesd.	2 Sigismund	3 48	11 52	 28	♀ sets 9 56	35	6 6 54	19	
Wedn.	3 <i>Inv. of Cross</i>	4 51	morn.	 12	♂♂♂. 7* sets 8 24	35	5 6 55	20	
Thurs.	4 Florianus	5 51	12 49	 27	♂ stationary	35	4 6 56	21	
Friday	5 Godard	6 45	1 9	 11	5. ☾ gr. lib. west. ♂♂♂. Inf.	35	3 6 57	22	
Saturd.	6 Aggeus	7 35	1 49	 25	♂ in ♀. ♀ so. 11 33	45	2 6 58	23	








19 3d Sunday after Easter. John 16. Day's length 13 hrs. 58 min.

Sunday	7 Domicilla	8 20	2 21	 4	Arcturus south 11 10	45	1 6 59	24
Mond.	8 Stanislaus	9 3	2 45	 17	♂ rises 2 24	45	0 7 02	25
Tuesd.	9 Job	9 45	3 8	 0	♀ sets 10 11	44	5 9 12	26
Wedn.	10 Gordianus	10 26	3 40	 13	♂♂♂. Orion sets 9 2	44	5 8 22	27
Thurs.	11 Mamertius	11 9	4 14	 25	♂♂♂. Antares south 1 9	44	5 7 32	28
Friday	12 Pancratius	9 51	4 40	 7	♂ Vega south 2 14	44	5 6 42	29
Saturd.	13 Servatius	morn.	♂ rises	 19	♂♂♂. ♀ south 11 1	44	5 5 50	30





20 4th Sunday after Easter. John 16. Day's length 14 hours 12 min.

Sunday	14 Christian	12 39	8 56	 6	Alphacca south 12 7	44	5 4 7	6 May
Mond.	15 Sophia	1 27	9 55	 18	☾ in Apo. ♂ rises 2 9	44	5 3 7	7
Tuesd.	16 Peregrinus	2 17	10 48	 0	♀ in Aph. ♀ sets 10 19	44	5 2 8	3
Wedn.	17 Jodocus	3 8	11 39	 12	♀ stationary. Spica so. 9 38	44	5 2 8	4
Thurs.	18 Liborius	3 59	morn.	 24	♂♂♂. Librae south 10 58	44	5 1 9	5
Friday	19 Prudentia	4 49	12 32	 11	♂ rises 4 12	44	5 0 7	6
Saturd.	20 Torpetus	5 38	1 4	 23	Altair rises 9 26	44	4 9 7	11

21 5th Sunday after Easter. John 16. Day's length 14 hours 24 min.

Sunday	21 Prudentia	6 24	1 31	 10	☾ 21. ☾ gr. lib. east. ☾ enters ♂♂♂.	44	4 8 7	12
Mond.	22 Helena	7 10	1 58	 22	♂♂♂. ♂ rises 1 53	44	4 7 7	13
Tuesd.	23 Desiderius	7 56	2 20	 9	♀ sets 10 17	44	4 6 7	14
Wedn.	24 Esther	8 42	2 44	 21	Castor sets 8 33	34	4 5 7	15
Thurs.	25 Ascension	9 31	3 10	 8	Rigel sets 7 25 [☾ in ♂	34	4 5 7	15
Friday	26 Beda	10 23	3 41	 20	♂♂♂. ♂♂♂. ♀ rises 3 46	34	4 4 7	16
Saturd.	27 Lucian	11 20	4 18	 7	Regulus sets 12 27	34	4 3 7	17

22 6th Sunday after Easter. John 16. Day's length 14 hours 34 min.

Sunday	28 Germanus	Ev 23	♂ sets	 19	☾ in Per. ♂♂♂.	34	4 3 7	17
Mond.	29 Maximil'an	1 29	9 34	 6	☾♂♂. Pollux sets 11	34	4 2 7	18
Tuesd.	30 Wigand	2 36	10 39	 18	♂♂♂. ♂♂♂. ♀ sets 10 29	34	4 1 7	19
Wedn.	31 Manilius	3 40	11 18	 5	♀ south 9 43	34	4 1 7	19



## MOON'S PHASES.

*First Quarter*, the 5th, at 8 o'clock 13 minutes in the forenoon.

*Full Moon*, the 13th, at 1 o'clock 9 minutes in the morning.

*Last Quarter*, the 21st, at 4 o'clock 12 minutes in the morning.

*New Moon*, the 28th, at 1 o'clock 24 minutes in the morning.

## Conjecture of the Weather.

1, 2, fair; 3, 4, warm; 5, 6, variable; 7, 8, thunder showers; 9, 10, clear; 11, 12, 13, fair; 14, 15, windy; 16, 17, 18, fair; 19, 20, variable; 21, 22, rain; 23, 24, cloudy; 25, 26, windy; 27, 28 fair; 29, 30, 31, cool.

Saturn (♄) is in conjunction with the Sun on the 1st and cannot be seen.

## POULTRY NOTES.

All things considered, from beginning to ending, Hatching and catching, and feeding and tending, Chasing and killing, and scalding and picking, There's a great deal of work about raising a chicken.

Watching the hen while she's doing the hatching,

Watching her, too, while she's eating and scratching,

Guarding 'gainst hawks and polecats and rats, Driving off crows and strange dogs and cats,

Always ready to give something a licking, There's a great deal of care about raising a chicken.

**Dust Baths**—A dust bath should always be provided, as it is the natural method adopted by the fowl to rid itself of lice. There are many manufactured dust baths advertised, but it is cheaper and just as effective to make your own.

A box three feet square and eight or ten inches deep makes an excellent bathtub for a small pen of fowls. Keep this in a sunny part of the coop, and keep it filled with fine road dust, sifted coal ashes, or dry earth, to which some carbolized or plain slaked lime has been added. The hens do the rest. The dusting material should be renewed frequently.

Is there a place under some old building where you can spade up the earth and give it to the hens to work at? They will dig away hard to find the worms that may be in it. Nothing will do them more good.



The Dorking stands first, as a table fowl, owing to the excellent quality of its flesh, while as a layer it is well above the average. There are three well-known varieties—the white, the silver gray and the colored, the latter being rather a trifle larger than the others, but the white is the oldest established. All of them have five toes on each foot, are very compact, fine in bone, and possess juicy flesh when cooked. For capons, a cross of the Dorking on Brahmas or Cochins is the best that can be made. A cross of the Dorking and game makes a superb table fowl.

There are more ducks in China than in all the rest of the world. China is literally white with these birds, and day and night the country resounds with their metallic and scornful voices.

The Chinese duck is extremely tender and delicate—the best tame duck for eating in the world. Duck among the Chinese is the staple delicacy. It is salted and smoked like ham or beef, and duck eggs are eaten as chicken eggs are in America.

The guinea hen has the credit of being a good layer, but her eggs are not in much demand commercially, owing to the wild, gamey flavor they possess. However, there is a profit in turning their eggs into broilers or roasting fowls, for which there is a ready sale.

The guinea is a great roamer, and does not thrive in confinement. The laying season begins in April and continues until October, during which time hens have been known to lay as many as ten dozen eggs. It is advisable not to set the hen before June. It requires four weeks for the hen to hatch the eggs.

The young are delicate until well feathered. The cock bird cares for the young the same as does the hen, guarding them by day and hovering them by night.

Guineas can be safely allowed in the garden, as they do not scratch like other fowls, and are great insect destroyers.

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Thurs.	1 Nicodemus	4 38	morn.	17	♄ gr. Elong. ♀ rises 4 2 west.	3 4	40 7	20 19	
Friday	2 Marcellus	5 30	12 33	0	♄ rises 3 21	2 4	40 7	20 20	
Saturd.	3 Erasmus	6 18	12 50	15	♄ 3. ♄ libration west	2 4	39 7	21 21	

23 *Whit Sunday or Pentecost. John 14. Day's length 14 hours 42 min.*

Sunday	4 <i>Whit Sund.</i>	7 2	1 15	28	♄ rises 1 24	2 4	39 7	21 22	
Mond.	5 <i>Whit Mon.</i>	7 45	1 34	12	♀ sets 10 39	2 4	38 7	22 23	
Tuesd.	6 Artenius	8 26	1 53	26	♄ gr. Hel. Lat. so. ♂ gr. Hel. Lat. so.	2 4	38 7	22 24	
Wedn.	7 <i>Ember Day</i>	9 8	2 16	11	♄ ♄ ♄ sets 2 37	2 4	37 7	23 25	
Thurs.	8 Medardus	9 51	2 41	25	♄ Spica south 8 16 ♄ in ♄	1 4	37 7	23 26	
Friday	9 Primus	10 36	3 31	8	♄ rises 2 56	1 4	37 7	23 27	
Saturd.	10 Flavius	11 23	4 17	22	♄ Librae south 9 34	1 4	36 7	24 28	

24 *Trinity Sunday. John 3. Day's length 14 hours 48 min.*

Sunday	11 Barnabas	morn.	♄ rises	2	♄ 11. ♄ in Procy. 8 32	1 4	36 7	24 29	
Mond.	12 Basilides	12 13	8 43	15	♄ rises 1 13	1 4	36 7	24 30	
Tuesd.	13 Tobias	1 4	9 32	27	♀ sets 10 27	0 4	36 7	24 31	
Wedn.	14 Heliseus	1 55	10 17	9	♄ ♄ ♄ sets 2 18	SUN 4 35	7 25	June	
Thurs.	15 <i>Corpus Chr.</i>	2 46	10 50	21	7* rises 2 41	SUN 4 35	7 25	2	
Friday	16 Rolandus	3 34	11 22	3	♄ rises 2 31	0 4	35 7	25 3	
Saturd.	17 Nicander	4 21	11 48	15	♄ Antares south	1 4	35 7	25 4	

25 *1st Sunday after Trinity. Luke 16. Day's length 14 hours 50 min.*

Sunday	18 Arnolphus	5 6	morn.	28	♄ Vega south 12 53	1 4	35 7	25 5	
Mond.	19 Gervasius	5 50	12 29	12	♄ 19. ♄ gr. lib. east	1 4	35 7	25 6	
Tuesd.	20 Sylverius	6 34	12 49	27	♄ ♄ ♄ rises 1 9	1 4	35 7	25 7	
Wedn.	21 Raphael	7 20	1 10	11	♀ sets 10 1	1 4	35 7	25 8	
Thurs.	22 Achatius	8 9	2 9	26	♄ enters ♄ Summer Longest day. ♄ in ♄	2 4	34 7	26 9	
Friday	23 Agrippina	9 3	2 50	10	♄ ♄ ♄ rises 2 5	2 4	35 7	25 10	
Saturd.	24 <i>John, Bapt.</i>	10 2	3 40	24	♄ sets 1 27	2 4	35 7	25 11	

26 *2d Sunday after Trinity. Luke 14. Day's length 14 hours 50 min.*

Sunday	25 Elogius	11 6	4 44	9	♄ ♄ in Per. ♀ in ♄. ♄ ♄ ♄	2 4	35 7	25 12	
Mond.	26 Jeremiah	Ev 13	♄ sets	23	♄ 26. Reg. sets 10 21	2 4	35 7	25 13	
Tuesd.	27 7 Sleepers	1 20	9 17	8	♄ ♄ ♄ Arcturus so. 7 44	3 4	35 7	25 14	
Wedn.	28 Leo	2 23	10 0	21	♄ rises 12 41	3 4	35 7	25 15	
Thurs.	29 <i>Peter, Paul</i>	3 20	10 36	7	♄ ♄ ♄ in Aphelion. ♄ sets 10 7	3 4	36 7	24 16	
Friday	30 Pauli mem.	4 11	11 7	20	♄ rises 1 39	3 4	36 7	24 17	



## MOON'S PHASES.

*First Quarter*, the 3rd, at 5 o'clock 4 minutes in the evening.

*Full Moon*, the 11th, at 4 o'clock 50 minutes in the evening.

*Last Quarter*, the 19th, at 3 o'clock 50 minutes in the afternoon.

*New Moon*, the 26th, at 8 o'clock 19 minutes in the forenoon.

*Conjecture of the Weather.*

1, 2, 3, fair; 4, 5, 6, sultry; 7, thunder showers; 8, 9, 10, 11, fair and warm; 12, 13, cloudy; 14, 15, general rains; 16, 17, 18, fair; 19, variable; 20, 21, 22, warm; 23, 24, fair; 25, 26, variable; 27, 28, thunder; 29, 30, fair and warm.

**HINTS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE.**

Regarding the proper care of hardwood floors, Miss Parloa says: "No soda, soap, ammonia, nor yet a scrubbing brush, should be used. After a thorough sweeping, wash with weak, warm suds, then wipe with flannel and polish. In oiling a hardwood floor, wet a flannel cloth with a mixture composed of two-thirds boiled linseed oil and one-third turpentine, and rub well into the floor, taking two or three boards at a time, and polishing with the grain of the wood. Special pains must be taken to keep the cloths used for oiling in some metal or stone receptacle, as all vegetable oils are liable to spontaneous combustion.

When pressing men's trousers, in order to take the bagginess out of the knees, press them first perfectly flat with the seams on the edges; then put the seams together and iron the crease down the front.

In cleaning painted woodwork it is far better to use a strong kerosene water than any kind of soap.

To render children's clothing fireproof, dissolve a level teaspoonful of sal ammoniac in the last rinsing water.

Cheese will be kept moist and free from mold if wrapped in a cloth wrung out in vinegar.

Vegetables will take longer to cook, but will be much nicer and of better color if boiled uncovered.

If a soft piece of home-made bread is rubbed on a scorch on woolen goods, it will remove it entirely.

Oxalic acid and water, in the proportion of one to twenty, may be used to remove perspiration stains.



**An Omelet of Apples**—Stew four large, tart apples; rub through a sieve and add while hot a tablespoonful of butter, and sugar and grated nutmeg to suit the taste. Beat the yolks of four eggs very light; whip the whites to a stiff froth. When the apples are perfectly cold add first the yolks, then the whites of the eggs, folding in the latter with a very few strokes. Flavor with vanilla or orange flower water. Pour into a deep pudding dish, well buttered and heated. Bake in a moderate oven until well browned.

**Sour-milk Gingerbread**—Cream together one cupful of butter with two of sugar; add the beaten yolks of three eggs and a cupful of lopped milk or buttermilk, two teaspoonfuls of ginger and one of cinnamon. Have ready a quart of flour with which you have sifted several times a teaspoonful of baking soda. Add this to the batter alternately with the beaten whites of the eggs. Beat the batter upward with long strokes and bake in a moderate oven till it draws away from the sides of the pan.

When hot cakes or light bread will not cut smoothly, heat a knife to the temperature of the bread or cake and it may be easily cut by so doing.

When an umbrella has been in use a short time make it a rule to pour a few drops of oil in the top notch about once a month, and it will prevent the ends of the ribs from rusting, and the umbrella will last longer.

When the kitchen table needs to be covered tack a piece of linoleum over the top. Hot dishes will not injure it, and it will last many times longer than oil cloth.

When a grease or dirt spot is to be removed from cloth or silk, first make a circle of wood alcohol around the spot about half an inch larger than the stain; then clean with gasoline or soap and water. Alcohol will not cause the cloth to fade, and it will prevent the "after stain," which is almost as objectionable as the dirt or grease.
































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Weeks and Days.	Remarkable Days.	Moon South. h. m.	Moon r. & s. h. m.	Moon's pl. noon. sig. deg.	Aspects of Planets, and other miscellaneous matter.	SUN slo. m.	SUN rises. h. m.	SUN sets. h. m.	O style.
Saturd.	1 Theobald	4 58	11 29	 2	gr. lib. west. $\delta$ in Per.	3	4 36	7 24	18
27 3d Sunday after Trinity. Luke 15. Day's length 14 hours 46 min.									
Sunday	2 Visit. V. M.	5 42	1 53	 14	$\frac{1}{2}$ rises 1 32		4 4 37	7 23	19
Mond.	3 Cornelius	6 24	morn.	 26	3. $\odot$ . in Aph. $\frac{1}{2}$ stat. $\delta \gamma \odot$		4 4 37	7 23	20
Tuesd.	4 Indep. Day	7 6	12 23	 8	$\delta$ rises 12 19		4 4 37	7 23	21
Wedn.	5 Demetrius	7 46	12 46	 19	$\delta \frac{1}{2} \odot$ . $\frac{1}{2}$ sets 1 2 43 $\frac{1}{2}$ in $\gamma$		4 4 38	7 22	22
Thurs.	6 John Huss	8 33	1 12	 7	$\gamma$ sets 9 57		4 4 38	7 22	23
Friday	7 Edelburga	9 20	1 42	 19	$\gamma$ gr. Elong. E. $45^{\circ} 29'$		4 4 38	7 22	24
Saturd.	8 Aquila	10 9	2 16	 0	$\frac{1}{2}$ in Apo. $\delta \gamma \Psi$ . Regulus sets 9 34		5 4 39	7 21	25
28 4th Sunday after Trinity. Luke 6. Day's length 14 hours 42 min.									
Sunday	9 Zeno	11 0	3 0	 12	$\frac{1}{2}$ rises 1 6		5 4 39	7 21	26
Mond.	10 J. Calvin b.	11 51	3 51	 28	$\gamma$ gr. Hel Lat. N.		5 4 40	7 20	27
Tuesd.	11 Pius	morn.	$\frac{1}{2}$ rises	 11	11. Dog Days begin		5 4 40	7 20	28
Wedn.	12 Henry	12 42	8 52	 25	$\delta \frac{1}{2} \odot$ . $\delta$ rises 11 59		5 4 41	7 19	29
Thurs.	13 Margaret	1 32	9 25	 7	$\frac{1}{2}$ sets 12 12		5 4 41	7 19	30
Friday	14 Bonavent	2 19	9 52	 19	$\delta \Psi \odot$ . $\gamma$ sets 9 14		5 4 42	7 18	July
Saturd.	15 Apostles' d.	3 4	10 18	 0	Andromeda sets 8 44		6 4 43	7 17	2
29 5th Sunday after Trinity. Luke 5. Day's length 14 hours 17 min.									
Sunday	16 Hilary	3 48	10 48	 13	$\gamma$ in $\gamma$ . Attair so. 12 2		6 4 43	7 17	3
Mond.	17 Alexius	4 32	11 2	 27	$\frac{1}{2}$ gr. lib. east. Antares south 8 34		6 4 44	7 16	4
Tuesd.	18 Maternus	5 16	11 36	 7	7* south 7 40		6 4 45	7 15	5
Wedn.	19 Ruffina	6 2	11 53	 19	19. $\delta \delta \odot$ . $\delta$ rises 11 44		6 4 45	7 15	6
Thurs.	20 Elijah	6 52	morn.	 3	$\delta \frac{1}{2} \odot$ . $\frac{1}{2}$ rises 12 25 $\frac{1}{2}$ in $\gamma$		6 4 46	7 14	7
Friday	21 Praxedes	7 47	12 42	 15	$\delta \frac{1}{2} \odot$ . $\gamma$ sets 9 25		6 4 47	7 13	8
Saturd.	22 Mary Mag.	8 47	1 28	 29	$\frac{1}{2}$ sets 11 38		6 4 48	7 12	9
30 6th Sunday after Trinity. Matt. 5. Day's length 14 hours 22 min.									
Sunday	23 Apollinaris	9 52	2 22	 11	Algenib south 4 1 $\odot$ enters $\gamma$		6 4 49	7 11	10
Mond.	24 Christiana	10 58	3 30	 25	$\frac{1}{2}$ in Per. Formal S. 2 47		6 4 50	7 10	11
Tuesd.	25 St. James	Ev. 3	$\frac{1}{2}$ sets	 8	Markab south 2 51		6 4 50	7 10	12
Wedn.	26 St. Anne	1 4	8 28	 20	$\delta$ rises 11 28		6 4 51	7 9	13
Thurs.	27 Martha	1 59	9 2	 2	$\delta \gamma \odot$ . Sirius rises 3 19		6 4 52	7 8	14
Friday	28 Pantaleon	2 49	9 30	 14	$\delta \gamma \odot$ . $\gamma$ sets 9 5		6 4 53	7 7	15
Saturd.	29 Beatrix	3 35	9 54	 27	$\frac{1}{2} \odot$ . $\frac{1}{2}$ sets 11 13		6 4 54	7 6	16
31 7th Sunday after Trinity. Mark 8. Day's length 14 hours 10 min.									
Sunday	30 Abdon	4 19	10 18	 11	$\odot$ gr. lib. west. Vega south 9 5		6 4 55	7 5	17
Mond.	31 Ignatius	5 2	10 43	 26	$\frac{1}{2}$ rises 11 47		6 4 56	7 4	18



**MOON'S PHASES.**

*First Quarter*, the 3rd, at 4 o'clock 20 minutes in the morning.

*Full Moon*, the 11th, at 7 o'clock 53 minutes in the morning.

*Last Quarter*, the 19th, at 1 o'clock 30 minutes in the morning.

*New Moon*, the 25th, at 3 o'clock 12 minutes in the afternoon.

**Conjecture of the Weather.**

1, 2, warm; 3, 4, variable; 5, thunder showers; 6, 7, 8, fair and warm; 9, 10, rain; 11, 12, 13, fair; 14, 15, 16, clear; 17, 18, 19, sultry; 20, 21, thunder showers; 22, 23, 24, warm; 25 variable; 26, 27, rainy; 28, 29, 30, 31, fair and warm.

**GOOD BOOKS.**

Say what you will, they are the wise,  
Who know good books to love and prize.  
They lighten burdens man must bear,  
They lift him from his woe and care;  
And, for a time, he leaves the strife,  
To live, in them, a happier life.

**LEGEND OF THE PANSY.**

A pretty fable about the pansy is current among French and German children. The flower has five petals and five sepals. In most pansies, especially of the earlier and less highly developed varieties, two of the petals are plain in color, and three are gay. The two plain petals have a single sepal, two of the gay petals have a sepal each, and the third, which is the largest of all, has two sepals. The fable is that the pansy represents a family, consisting of husband and wife and four daughters, two of the latter being stepchildren of the wife. The plain petals are the stepchildren, with only one chair; the two small gay petals are the daughters, with a chair each, and the large gay petal is the wife, with two chairs. To find the father one must strip away the petals until the stamens and pistils are bare. They have a fanciful resemblance to an old man with a flannel wrap about his neck, his shoulders upraised and his feet in a bathtub. The story is probably of French origin, because the French call the pansy the step-mother.

**THE NUT INDUSTRY.**

The constantly increasing demand for nuts and the large quantity which we import from other countries should urge the American nut-grower to turn his attention to the growing of native and foreign nuts on a commercial scale.

**NAME OF PUSS.**

Did you ever think why we call a cat "Pussy"?

Many years ago the people of Egypt, who had many idol gods, worshiped the cat. They thought that she was like the moon, because she was most active at night, and because her eyes changed, just as the moon changes; for the moon, you know, is sometimes full and round, and sometimes only a slender crescent, or "half-moon," as we call it. Did you ever notice your pussy's eyes to see how they change? For sometimes they, too, are big and round, and again the pupils narrow until they are nothing but little black slits.

So the Egyptians made an idol with a cat's head and named it "Pasht," the same name which they gave to the moon, for the word means "the face of the moon." In course of time that word was changed to "Pas," or "Pus," according to the speech of the people who uttered it; and at last it has come to "Puss," the name which almost everyone gives to the cat—for, as you know, puss and pussy-cat are pet names for kitty everywhere. Not many people, however, think of it as given to her thousands of years ago, or dream that in those faraway times a great nation bowed down and prayed to her.

One can make a cosy corner on some secluded part of the lawn by using wire poultry netting six or eight feet wide, as we would arrange a folding screen, driving strong stakes at the corners and ends of the netting, then digging a narrow bed on the outside of the screen and planting it with morning glories and the climbing nasturtiums, adding, if we choose, a few madeira vine tubers and some mignonette or sweet alyssum seeds to give it fragrance. Till one has tried it, one can hardly realize how much comfort there is in such a corner, with a reclining chair, an improvised canopy, and a readable book.

Start an account with us and build up a bank credit—it will be very useful to you later.

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Tuesd.	1 <i>Lammas d.</i>	5 45	11 12	10	1. $\delta$ $\gamma$ $\zeta$ . $\gamma$ sets 10 59	64	57	7 31	19
Wedn.	2 Stephen	6 29	11 42	23	$\gamma$ in $\gamma$ . $\delta$ $\gamma$ -ses 11 15 [ $\zeta$ in $\gamma$	64	58	7 20	20
Thurs.	3 Augustus	7 15	morn.	7	$\eta$ sets 8 43	64	59	7 12	21
Friday	4 Dominick	8 4	12 36	19	$\gamma$ in Apo. Alg. so. 3 17	65	07	0 22	22
Saturd.	5 Oswald	8 54	12 56	1	$\eta$ rises 11 26	65	16	59 23	23

32 8th Sunday after Trinity. Matt. 7. Day's length 13 hours 56 min.

Sunday	6 <i>Tr. of Chr.</i>	9 46	1 46	14	7* rises 11 6	65	26	58 24	
Mond.	7 Donatus	10 37	2 42	27	$\gamma$ sets 10 36	65	36	57 25	
Tuesd.	8 Emily	11 27	3 40	9	$\delta$ $\gamma$ $\zeta$ . $\square$ $\delta$ $\zeta$ . Spica sets 9 28	55	46	56 26	
Wedn.	9 Ericus	morn.	$\gamma$ rises	22	9. $\delta$ rises 10 57	55	56	55 27	
Thurs.	10 <i>St. Lawr.</i>	12 16	7 55	8	$\eta$ gr. brilliancy	55	66	54 28	
Friday	11 Titus	1 2	8 22	20	$\eta$ sets 8 23	55	76	53 29	
Saturd.	12 Clara	1 47	8 44	2	$\gamma$ in Aphelion	55	86	52 30	

33 9th Sunday after Trinity. Luke 16. Day's Length 13 hours 42 min.

Sunday	13 Hildebert	2 31	9 10	17	$\zeta$ gr. lib. $\eta$ gr. Elong. east. $\square$ $\eta$ $\zeta$	55	96	51 31	
Mond.	14 Eusebius	3 15	9 30	27	$\gamma$ sets 10 11	45	106	50 Aug.	
Tuesd.	15 <i>Asc. V. M.</i>	4 0	9 55	8	$\eta$ rises 10 45. $\gamma$ in $\gamma$	45	126	48 2	
Wedn.	16 Rochus	4 48	10 24	20	$\delta$ $\eta$ . Achernar so. 3 58	45	136	47 3	
Thurs.	17 Bertram	5 40	11 0	1	17. $\delta$ $\eta$ $\zeta$ . $\delta$ $\zeta$ . $\delta$ rises	45	146	46 4	
Friday	18 Agapetus	6 36	11 44	15	$\eta$ sets 7 53 [10 38	45	156	45 5	
Saturd.	19 Ubaldus	7 28	morn.	28	Antares sets 10 49	35	176	43 6	

34 10th Sunday after Trinity. Luke 19. Day's length 13 hours 24 min.

Sunday	20 Bernard	8 42	12 41	11	$\gamma$ in Per. $\eta$ in Aphelion	35	186	42 7	
Mond.	21 Rebecca	9 46	1 33	24	$\delta$ $\gamma$ $\zeta$ . $\gamma$ sets 9 47 [ $\gamma$	35	196	41 8	
Tuesd.	22 Philibert	10 47	2 22	10	$\eta$ stat. Dog Days end	35	206	40 9	
Wedn.	23 Zaccheus	11 44	3 39	23	23. $\eta$ rises 10 17. $\zeta$	25	216	39 10	
Thurs.	24 <i>St. Barthol.</i>	Ev 37	$\gamma$ sets	9	$\delta$ rises 10 23 [en- ters	25	226	38 11	
Friday	25 Ludovicus	1 25	7 54	22	$\delta$ $\gamma$ $\zeta$ . $\delta$ $\zeta$ . $\eta$ sets 7 22	25	246	36 12	
Saturd.	26 Samuel	2 10	8 16	8	$\gamma$ gr. lib. west. $\eta$ stat.	25	256	35 13	

35 11th Sunday after Trinity. Luke 18. Day's length 13 hours 8 min.

Sunday	27 Gephard	2 55	8 46	21	Altair south 9 19	15	266	34 14	
Mond.	28 <i>St. August.</i>	3 38	9 4	7	Rigel rises 12 11. $\gamma$ in $\gamma$	15	276	33 15	
Tuesd.	29 <i>St. Johnbeh.</i>	4 23	9 28	20	$\delta$ $\gamma$ $\zeta$ . $\gamma$ sets 9 17	15	286	32 16	
Wedn.	30 Benjamin	5 9	9 58	6	Spica sets 8 8	15	296	31 17	
Thurs.	31 Paulina	5 59	10 33	19	31. $\eta$ rises 9 46.	05	316	29 18	



## MOON'S PHASES.

*First Quarter*, the 1st, at 6 o'clock 29 minutes in the evening.

*Full Moon*, the 9th, at 9 o'clock 54 minutes in the evening.

*Last Quarter*, the 17th, at 7 o'clock 10 minutes in the morning.

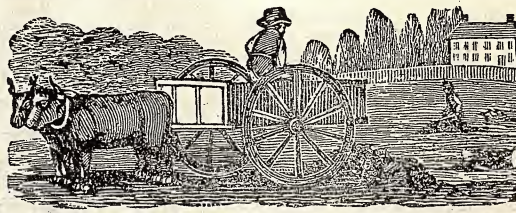
*New Moon*, the 23rd, at 11 o'clock 14 minutes in the evening.

*First Quarter*, the 31st, at 11 o'clock 20 minutes in the forenoon.

## Conjecture of the Weather.

1, 2, fair; 3, 4, 5, warm; 6, 7, 8, sultry; 9, 10, showers; 11, 12, 13, clear; 14, 15, warm; 16, 17, windy, with rain; 18, 19, 20, very warm; 21, 22, cloudy; 23, 24, fair; 25, thunder; 26, 27, 28, clear and warm; 29, 30, 31, variable.

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The elder ADAMS next we see,  
And JEFFERSON comes number three,  
Then MADISON is fourth you know,  
The fifth one on the list, MONROE;  
The sixth, then ADAMS comes again,  
And JACKSON, seventh, in the train;  
VAN BUREN, eighth, upon the line,  
And HARRISON counts number nine;  
The tenth is TYLER in his turn,  
And POLK, the eleventh, as we learn;  
The twelfth is TAYLOR in rotation,  
The thirteenth, FILLMORE, in succession;  
The fourteenth, PIERCE has been selected,  
BUCHANAN, fifteenth is elected;  
Sixteenth, LINCOLN rules the nation,  
JOHNSON, seventeenth, fills the station;  
As the eighteenth, GRANT two terms serves,  
Nineteenth, HAYES our honor preserves;  
Twentieth, GARFIELD becomes our head,  
Twenty-first, ARTHUR succeeds the dead;  
Then CLEVELAND next was selected,  
Twenty-third, HARRISON's elected;  
Twenty-fourth, CLEVELAND is recalled;  
Twenty-fifth, MCKINLEY twice installed;  
Twenty-sixth, ROOSEVELT, strenuous, firm,  
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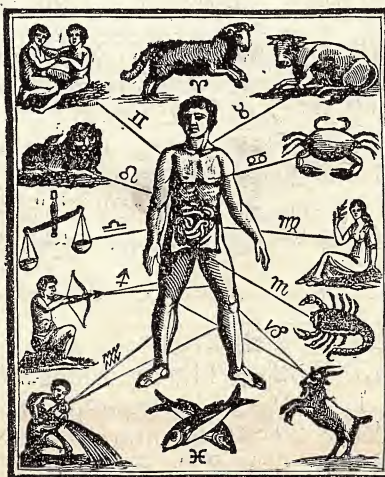
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Weeks and Days.	Remarkable Days.	Moon South. h. m.	Moon r. & s. h. m.	Moon's pl. noon. sig. deg.	Aspects of Planets, and other miscellaneous matter.	SUN fast m.	SUN rises. h. m.	SUN sets. h. m.	O style
Friday	1 Egidius	6 47	11 13	0	☿ in Apo. ♂ rises 10 4	05	32	6 28	19
Saturd.	2 Eliza	7 38	morn.	13	♂ gr. Hel. Lat. south	15	33	6 27	20

36 12th Sunday after Trinity. Mark 7. Day's length 12 hours 50 min.

Sunday	3 Mansuetus	8 30	12 29	25	♂ stationary	15	35	6 25	21
Mond.	4 Moses	9 20	1 25	7	♂☿. ♀ sets 6 30	15	36	6 24	22
Tuesd.	5 Nathaniel	10 10	2 30	19	♂ sets 8 51	15	37	6 23	23
Wedn.	6 Magnus	10 57	3 35	2	♂ rises 9 23	25	39	6 21	24
Thurs.	7 Regina	11 43	4 4	14	♂ rises 9 49	25	40	6 20	25
Friday	8 N. of V. M.	morn.	☿ rises	26	♂. ☿ gr. lib. east	25	41	6 19	26
Saturd.	9 Bruno	12 28	7 10	11	♂☿. Inferior	35	42	6 18	27

37 13th Sunday after Trinity. Luke 10. Day's length 12 hours 32 min.

Sunday	10 Pulcheria	1 12	7 34	24	Markab south 11 37	35	44	6 16	28
Mond.	11 Protus	1 58	7 58	8	♀ gr. Hel. Lat. S. ☿ in ☿	35	45	6 15	29
Tuesd.	12 J. Wickliffe	2 46	8 27	20	♂ sets 8 27	45	47	6 14	30
Wedn.	13 Amatus	3 36	9 0	3	♂☿. ♀ rises 8 55	45	48	6 12	31
Thurs.	14 El. H. Crs.	4 31	9 40	16	♂☿. ♂ rises 9 31	45	49	6 11	32
Friday	15 Nicetas	5 31	10 33	28	♂☿. Inferior	55	50	6 10	2
Saturd.	16 Euphemia	6 33	11 36	11	☿ in Per. Algenib south 12 32	55	52	6 9	3

38 14th Sunday after Trinity. Luke 17. Day's length 12 hours 14 min.

Sunday	17 Lambertus	7 36	morn.	25	♂☿. ♀ stationary	55	53	6 7	4
Mond.	18 Seigfried	8 36	12 44	9	Polaris south 1 41	65	54	6 6	5
Tuesd.	19 Micleta	9 34	1 37	23	♂ sets 8 2	65	56	6 4	6
Wedn.	20 Quatember	10 24	2 35	7	♂☿. ♀ rises 8 17	75	57	6 3	7
Thurs.	21 Matthew	11 15	3 29	20	☿ in ☿. ♀☿. ♀ rises 5 16	75	58	6 2	8
Friday	22 Maurice	Ev 2	☿ sets	2	♂ rises 9 8	75	59	6 1	9
Saturd.	23 Hosea	0 46	6 39	15	☿ enters ♄. Autumn begins. D. and N. equal.	86	06	0 10	

39 15th Sunday after Trinity. Matt. 6. Day's length 11 hours 56 min.

Sunday	24 St. John's c.	1 30	7 4	27	♂☿. Rigel rises 11 33. ☿ in ☿	86	25	58	11
Mond.	25 Cleophas	2 15	7 32	11	♂ gr. Elong. W. ♀ rises 5 30	86	35	57	12
Tuesd.	26 Justina	3 1	8 0	25	♂ in Per. ☿☿. ☿ sets 7 27	96	45	56	13
Wedn.	27 Cosmüs	3 49	8 29	8	Antares sets 8 28	96	65	54	14
Thurs.	28 Wenceslaus	4 38	9 6	20	♂ rises 7 55	96	75	53	15
Friday	29 St. Michael	5 29	10 15	0	☿ in Apo. Sirius rises 1 14	106	85	52	16
Saturd.	30 Jerome	6 21	10 57	12	☿. Achernar S. 1 13	106	105	50	17



## MOON'S PHASES.

*Full Moon*, the 8th, at 10 o'clock 56 minutes in the forenoon.

*Last Quarter*, the 15th, at 12 o'clock 50 minutes at noon.

*New Moon*, the 22nd, at 9 o'clock 37 minutes in the forenoon.

*First Quarter*, the 30th, at 6 o'clock 8 minutes in the morning.

## Conjecture of the Weather.

1, 2, rainy; 3, 4, 5, cool; 6, 7, 8, fair; 9, 10, 11, rainy; 12, 13, fair; 14, 15, 16, warm; 17, 18, showers; 19, 20, 21, warm; 22, variable; 23, 24, stormy and rain; 25, 26, 27, cool; 28, 29, fair; 30, windy, with rain;

Venus (♀) is in inferior conjunction with the Sun on the 15th and passes from evening to morning star.

The man who knows exactly where he is going and precisely what for will come in far ahead of him who is in doubt and uncertainty.



We cannot change yesterday—that is clear,  
Or begin on tomorrow until it is here;  
So all that is left for you and for me  
Is to make today as sweet as can be.

Every second of time is valuable, as once gone it is gone forever. Therefore make every hour have its own tasks, and each one tend to success.

There is a French proverb to the effect that he who excuses himself accuses himself.

## WEATHER PROGNOSTICATOR

*A Table for Foretelling the Weather through all the Lunations of each Year.*

This table and the accompanying remarks are the result of many years' actual observation; the whole being constructed on a due consideration of the attraction of the Sun and Moon, in their several positions respecting the earth; and will, by simple inspection, show the observer what kind of weather will most probably follow the entrance of the Moon into any of her quarters, and that so near the truth as to be seldom or never found to fail.

<i>If the new moon, first quarter, full moon, or last quarter happen.</i>	IN SUMMER	IN WINTER
Btw. midnight and 2 in the morning...	Fair.....	Hard frost, unless wind be S. or S.W.
Btw. 2 and 4 morn'g....	Cold, with frequent showers.	Snow and Stormy.
Btw. 4 and 6 morn'g....	Rain.....	Rain.
Btw. 6 and 8 morn'g....	Wind and Rain..	Stormy.
Btw. 8 and 10 morn'g....	Changeable....	Cold rain, if wind be W.; snow, if E.
Btw. 10 and 12 morn'g. At 12 o'clock at noon and 2 in the afternoon	Frequ't showers.	Cold & high wind.
Btw. 2 and 4 in afternoon	Very rainy.....	Snow or rain.
Btw. 4 and 6 in afternoon	Changeable.....	Fair and mild.
	Fair.....	Fair.
Btw. 6 and 8 in afternoon	Fair, if wind N. W.....	Fair and frosty, if wind N. or N. E.
	Rainy, if S. or S. W.....	Rain or snow, if S. or S. W.
Btw. 8 and 10 afternoon...	Ditto.....	Ditto.
Btw. 10 and midnight...	Fair.....	Fair and frosty.

*Observations.*—1. The nearer the time of the Moon's change—First Quarter, Full and Last Quarter—are to Midnight the fairer will the weather be during the seven days following.

2. The space for this calculation occupies from ten at night till two the next morning.

3. The nearer to midday or noon these phases of the Moon happen, the more foul or wet weather may be expected during the next seven days.

4. The space for this calculation occupies from ten in the forenoon to two in the afternoon. These observations refer principally to the summer, though they affect spring and autumn nearly in the same ratio.

5. The Moon's change—First Quarter, Full Moon and Last Quarter—happening during six of the afternoon hours—that is, from four to ten—may be followed by fair weather; but this is mostly dependent on the wind, as it is noted in the table.
































6. Though the weather, from a variety of irregular courses, is more uncertain in the latter part of autumn, the whole of winter and the beginning of spring, yet, in the main, the above observations will apply to those periods also.

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40 16th Sunday after Trinity. Luke 7. Day's length 11 hours 38 min.									
Sunday	1 Remigius	7 12	11 48	 27	♂ H.C. ♀ sets 7 20	10 6	11 5	49 18	
Mond.	2 C. Columbus	8 1	morn.	 8	♂ rises 7 39	11 6	12 5	48 19	
Tuesd.	3 Jairus	8 49	12 51	 21	♀ rises 4 4	11 6	13 5	47 20	
Wedn.	4 Francis	9 35	1 59	 7	♀ stationary	11 6	14 5	46 21	
Thurs.	5 Placidus	10 21	3 11	 20	♂ stat. ♂ rises 8 27	12 6	16 5	44 22	
Friday	6 Fides	11 6	4 20	 4	gr. lib. & gr. Hel. east. ♀ Lat. north	12 6	17 5	43 23	
Satur.	7 Amelia	11 51	Drises	 17	7. Aldeb. rises 8 42	12 6	19 5	41 24	
41 17th Sunday after Trinity. Luke 14. Day's length 11 hours 20 min.									
Sunday	8 Pelagius	morn.	6 1	 1	♀ sets 6 57	12 6	20 5	40 25	
Mond.	9 Dionysius	12 39	6 37	 4	Altair south 6 44 (in ☾)	13 6	21 5	39 26	
Tuesd.	10 Gereon	1 30	7 1	 28	♂ H.C. ♀ rises 7 5	13 6	23 5	37 27	
Wedn.	11 Burkhart	2 25	7 38	 12	☾ in Per. ♀ rises 3 30	13 6	24 5	36 28	
Thurs.	12 Veritas	3 24	8 28	 26	♂ H.C. ♂ rises 8 1	14 6	25 5	35 29	
Friday	13 Colomon	4 26	9 29	 10	Regulus rises 10 23	14 6	27 5	33 30	
Saturd.	14 Fortuna	5 30	10 31	 24	14. ♂ ♀ H.C. Mark. south 9 30	14 6	28 5	32 00	
42 18th Sunday after Trinity. Matt. 22. Day's length 11 hours 2 min.									
Sunday	15 Hedwiges	6 31	11 50	 7	Rigel rises 10 14	14 6	29 5	31 2	
Mond.	16 Gallus	7 28	morn.	 19	♀ sets 6 29	14 6	31 5	29 3	
Tuesd.	17 Florentine	8 21	1 15	 1	♂ stationary	15 6	32 5	28 4	
Wedn.	18 St. Luke Ev.	9 10	2 30	 14	☐ ♀ H.C. ♀ rises 3 19	15 6	33 5	27 5	
Thurs.	19 Ptolomy	9 56	3 49	 27	☐ H.C. ♂ rises 7 34	15 6	34 5	26 6	
Friday	20 Felicianus	10 41	5 3	 9	☾ gr. libration west	15 6	35 5	25 7	
Saturd.	21 Ursula	11 24	☾ sets	 24	21. ☉ Eclipse Inv.	15 6	36 5	24 8	
43 19th Sunday after Trinity. Matt. 9. Day's length 10 hours 44 min.									
Sunday	22 Cordula	Ev. 8	5 39	 8	♀ gr. brilliancy ☾ in ☿	15 6	38 5	22 9	
Mond.	23 Severinus	0 54	5 57	 23	♂ ♀ H.C. Sup. ♂ ♀ H.C. ☉ enters ☿	16 6	39 5	21 10	
Tuesd.	24 Salome	1 51	6 27	 7	♀ sets 6 5	16 6	41 5	19 11	
Wedn.	25 Crispin	2 30	7 2	 20	♀ rises 2 48	16 6	42 5	18 12	
Thurs.	26 Amandus	3 21	7 46	 2	♂ rises 7 3	16 6	43 5	17 13	
Friday	27 Sabina	4 12	8 36	 14	☾ in Apo. ♀ stationary	16 6	44 5	16 14	
Saturd.	28 Simon, Jude	5 3	9 31	 26	♂ rises 5 51	16 6	45 5	15 15	
44 20th Sunday after Trinity. Matt. 22. Day's length 10 hours 28 min.									
Sunday	29 H. Zwingli	5 53	10 32	 11	♂ H.C. ♀ in ☿. Sirius rises 11 26	16 6	46 5	14 16	
Mond.	30 Serapion	6 41	11 36	 23	☾ Arietis south 11 26	16 6	47 5	13 17	
Tuesd.	31 HALL. EVE	7 27	morn.	 9	30. Hamel so. 11 25	16 6	49 5	11 18	

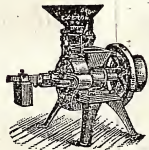


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*New Moon*, the 21st, at 11 o'clock 9 minutes in the evening.  
*First Quarter*, the 30th, at 1 o'clock 41 minutes in the morning.

*Conjecture of the Weather.*

1 2,, rainy; 3, 4, clear and cool; 5, 6, fair; 7, 8, frosty; 9, 10, 11, clear; 12, 13, variable; 14, 15, rain and cool; 16, 17, 18, fair and cold; 19, 20, 21, frosty; 22, 23, variable; 24, 25, 26, mostly clear; 27, 28, 29, variable; 30, 31, mostly fair.



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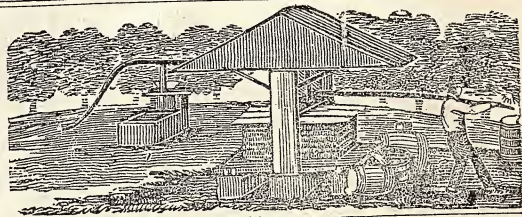
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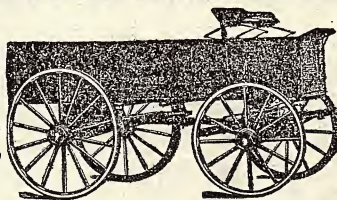
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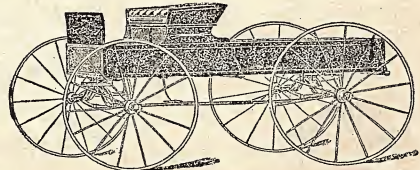
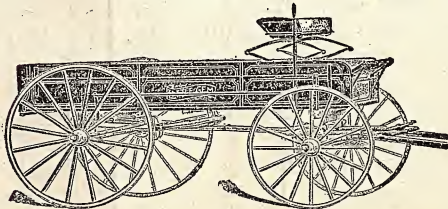
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


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


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








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Wedn.	1 <i>All Saints</i>	8 12	12 33	 21	♂ in ♍. Regulus ri. 12 58	16 6	50 5	10 19	
Thurs.	2 <i>All Souls</i>	8 56	1 29	 3	♂ gr. lib. east. ♀ rises 2 52	16 6	51 5	9 20	
Friday	3 Theophilus	9 21	2 40	 15	Markab south 8 05	16 6	53 5	7 21	
Saturd.	4 Charlotte	10 28	3 59	 29	♂ rises 6 17	16 6	54 5	6 22	








45 21st Sunday after Trinity. John 4. Day's length 10 hours 10 min.

Sunday	5 Malachi	11 18	5 18	 12	7* rises 5 30. ♀ in ♍	16 6	55 5	5 23	
Mond.	6 Leonard	morn.	Drises	 26	6. Algol so. 11 5 ♂ h C	16 6	56 5	4 24	
Tuesd.	7 Englebert	12 12	5 34	 9	♀ in ♍. ♂ ♄ ♀	16 6	57 5	3 25	
Wedn.	8 Godfrey	1 11	6 19	 24	♂ in Per. ♂ ♄ ♄. ♀ in Aph.	16 6	58 5	2 26	
Thurs.	9 Theodore	2 15	7 26	 8	♀ rises 2 50	16 6	59 5	1 27	
Friday	10 <i>M. Luther</i>	3 20	8 24	 22	♂ h C. Aldebaran ri. 6 32	16 7	05	0 28	
Saturd.	11 <i>Martin, Bp</i>	4 24	9 34	 7	♂ ♄ ♄. ♂ rises 5 42	16 7	14	59 29	






46 22d Sunday after Trinity. Matt. 18. Day's length 9 hours 56 min.

Sunday	12 Jonas	5 24	10 54	 21	♂ h south 11 34	16 7	24	58 30	
Mond.	13 Winebert	6 19	morn.	 5	13. Rigel rises 7 55	16 7	34	57 31	
Tuesd.	14 Levin	7 8	12 44	 19	Hamel south 10 28	15 7	44	56	Nov.
Wedn.	15 Leopold	7 55	1 43	 1	♂ gr. libration west	15 7	54	55	2
Thurs.	16 Ottomarius	8 39	2 50	 14	♂ ♄ ♄. ♀ rises 2 51	15 7	64	54	3
Friday	17 Alpheus	9 22	3 59	 27	♂ nearest Earth	15 7	74	53	4
Saturd.	18 Glasius	10 5	4 58	 10	♂ ♄ ♄. ♂ so. 12 19 ♀ in ♍	15 7	84	52	5

47 23d Sunday after Trinity. Matt. 22. Day's length 9 hours 42 min.

Sunday	19 Elizabeth	10 49	6 3	 23	♂ h south 11 4	14 7	94	51	6
Mond.	20 Amos	11 35	♂ sets	 9	20. ♂ ♄ ♄. Polaris south 9 13	14 7	104	50	7
Tuesd.	21 <i>Off. V. M.</i>	Ev 23	4 57	 22	Achernar south 9 28	14 7	114	49	8
Wedn.	22 Cecelia	1 13	5 40	 6	♂ ♄ ♄. ☉ enters	14 7	124	48	9
Thurs.	23 Clement	2 5	6 58	 18	♀ rises 2 55	13 7	134	47	10
Friday	24 Chrysogons	2 56	7 42	 0	♂ in Apo. Capella south 12 59	13 7	144	46	11
Saturd.	25 Catherine	3 46	3 20	 12	♂ ♄ ♄. ♂ h C. Procyon south 3 22	13 7	144	46	12

48 24th Sunday after Trinity. Matt. 9. Day's length 9 hours 30 min.

Sunday	26 Conrad	4 34	9 24	 24	♀ gr. Elong W. 46° 45'	13 7	154	45	13
Mond.	27 Jehosaphat	5 20	10 26	 7	♂ south 11 29	12 7	164	44	14
Tuesd.	28 Guntherus	6 4	11 29	 19	28. ♀ south 10 26	12 7	174	43	15
Wedn.	29 Saturnius	6 47	morn.	 0	♂ gr. Hel. Lat. south	12 7	174	43	16
Thurs.	30 <i>St. Andrew</i>	7 31	12 33	 12	♂ gr. libration east	11 7	184	42	17



## MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon, the 6th, at 10 o'clock, 48 minutes in the evening.

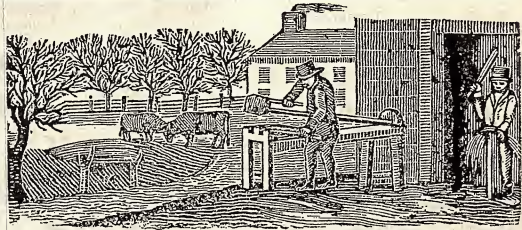
Last Quarter, the 13th, at 2 o'clock 19 minutes in the morning.

New Moon, the 20th, at 3 o'clock 49 minutes in the evening.

First Quarter, the 28th, at 8 o'clock 41 minutes in the evening.

## Conjecture of the Weather.

1, 2, fair; 3, 4, cloudy; 5, 6, frosty; 7, 8, 9, fair and cold; 10, 11, frosty; 12, 13, windy; 14, 15, mild; 16, 17, 18, clear; 19, 20, 21, mild; 22, 23, variable; 24, 25, windy; 26, 27, fair; 28, 29, 30, rain, with snow.



Saturn (♄) is in opposition with the Sun on the 10th and shines all night.

Jupiter (♃) is in conjunction with the Sun on the 18th and cannot be seen.

Mars (♂) is in opposition with the Sun on the 25th and shines all night.

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






















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Weeks and Days.	Remarkable Days.	Moon South. h. m.	Moon r. & s. h. m.	Moon's pl. noon. sig. deg.	Aspects of Planets, and other miscellaneous matter.	Sun fast m.	Sun rises. h. m.	Sun sets. h. m.	O style.
Friday	1 Longinus	8 15	1 7		27 ♀ rises 3 29	11 7	19 4	41 18	
Saturd.	2 Candidus	9 3	2 11		9 Sirius rises 9 2 ☽ in ☾	10 7	19 4	41 19	
49 1st Sunday in Advent. Matt. 21. Day's length 9 hours 20 min.									
Sunday	3 Cassianus	9 54	3 51		20 ♀ south 10 5	10 7	20 4	40 20	
Mond.	4 Barbara	10 51	5 23		2 ☿ ☿ ☿ so 10 51	10 7	20 4	40 21	
Tuesd.	5 Abigail	11 54	☽ rises		14 ☾ 5. Polaris south 8 31	9 7	21 4	39 22	
Wedn.	6 St. Nichol.	morn.	4 59		26 ☽ in Per. Hamel so. 9 3	9 7	21 4	39 23	
Thurs.	7 Agathon	1 1	6 11		10 ☿ gr. Elong. east Castor south 2 26 ☾	8 7	22 4	38 24	
Friday	8 C. V. Mary	2 8	7 21		22 ☿ ☿ ☿ ☿ sets 5 13	8 7	22 4	38 25	
Saturd.	9 Joachim	3 12	8 38		8 ♀ rises 3 34	7 7	23 4	37 26	
50 2d Sunday in Advent. Luke 21. Day's length 9 hours 14 min.									
Sunday	10 Judith	4 1	9 53		22 ♀ in Per. Procyon so. 2 21	7 7	23 4	37 27	
Mond.	11 Barsabas	5 4	11 8		7 ☿ south 10 15	7 7	23 4	37 28	
Tuesd.	12 Othilia	5 53	morn.		19 ☾ 12. Algol. so. 9 40	6 7	24 4	36 29	
Wedn.	13 Lucy	6 38	12 52		1 ☽ gr. libration west	6 7	24 4	36 30	
Thurs.	14 Nicasius	7 21	1 54		13 ♀ south 9 19	5 7	24 4	36 Dec.	
Friday	15 Eusebius	8 4	3 7		27 ☿ stationary ☽ in ☿	5 7	24 4	36 2	
Saturd.	16 Ananias	8 47	4 2		10 ☿ ☿ ☿ ♀ rises 3 39	4 7	25 4	35 3	
51 3d Sunday in Advent. Matt. 11. Day's length 9 hours 10 min.									
Sunday	17 Lazarus	9 32	5 4		23 Capella south 11 27	4 7	25 4	35 4	
Mond.	18 Arnoldus	10 19	6 7		8 ☿ in ☾. ☿ ☿ ☿ ☿ rises 5 25	3 7	25 4	35 5	
Tuesd.	19 Abraham	11 9	7 10		20 ☿ south 9 37	3 7	25 4	35 6	
Wedn.	20 EMBER DAY	Ev. 0	☽ sets		2 ☿ 23. Aldebaran south 7 46	2 7	25 4	35 7	
Thurs.	21 St. Thomas	0 51	5 4		14 ☽ in Apo. ☿ ☿ ☿	2 7	25 4	35 8	
Friday	22 Beata	1 42	6 12		28 ☿ in Per. ☼ en- ters ☼ Winter beg. Shortest day	1 7	24 4	36 9	
Saturd.	23 Dagobert	2 36	7 16		11 ♀ rises 3 43	1 7	25 4	35 10	
52 4th Sunday in Advent. John 1. Day's length 9 hours 10 min.									
Sunday	24 Adam, Eve	3 17	8 18		25 Arietis south 7 46	Sun 7	25 4	35 11	
Mond.	25 Christmas	4 1	9 20		10 ☿ ☼ ☼ Inferior	Slow 7	25 4	35 12	
Tuesd.	26 Stephen	4 43	10 22		24 ☿ rises 5 12	1 7	25 4	35 13	
Wedn.	27 St. John	5 25	11 25		9 ☿ sets 4 23	1 7	25 4	35 14	
Thurs.	28 H. Innoc.	6 8	morn.		23 ☾ 28. 7* sets 9 11	2 7	25 4	35 15	
Friday	29 Noah	6 52	12 28		8 ☽ gr. lib. east. ☿ stat. ☾	2 7	24 3	36 16	
Saturd.	30 N. Copern.	7 40	1 23		22 ♀ rises 3 54	3 7	24 4	36 17	
53 Sunday after Christmas. Luke 2. Day's length 9 hours 12 min.									
Sunday	31 Sylvester	8 32	2 31		7 ☿ ☿ ☿ Rigel south 10 25	3 7	24 4	36 18	

50 2d Sunday in Advent. Luke 21. Day's length 9 hours 14 min.



**MOON'S PHASES.**

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*First Quarter*, the 28th, at 1 o'clock 47 minutes in the afternoon.

*Conjecture of the Weather.*

1, 2, 3, fair and warm; 4 variable; 5, 6, rain or snow; 7, 8, 9, cold; 10, 11, 12, fair and clear;



13, 14, variable; 15, 16, rain; 17, 18, mild; 19, cloudy; 20, 21, 22, cold and windy; 23, 24, fair; 25, 26, clear; 27, 28, rainy; 29, 30, 31, fair.

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**FIG. F**

**TAYLOR STEEL STANCHION**

**FIG. C**

**LAWN MOWERS, ALL GRADES**

**FIG. G**

**HORSE CLIPPERS AND SHEEP SHEARING MACHINES**

**FIG. D**

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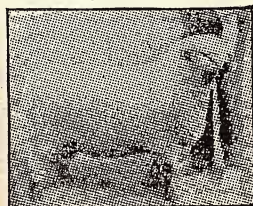
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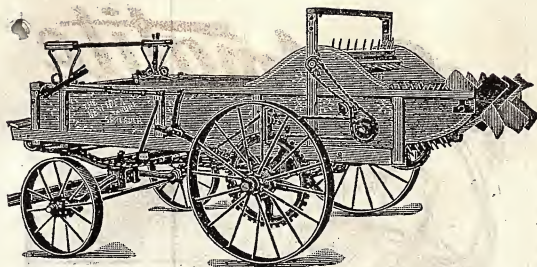
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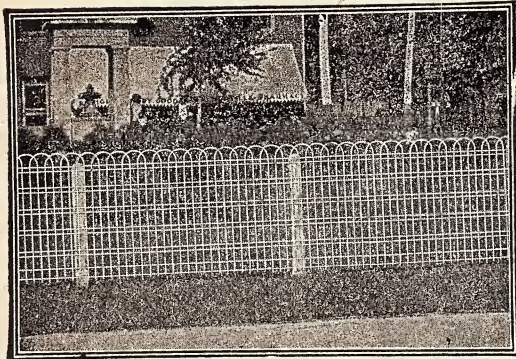
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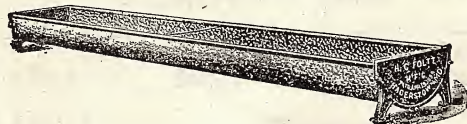
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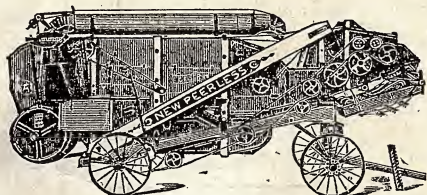
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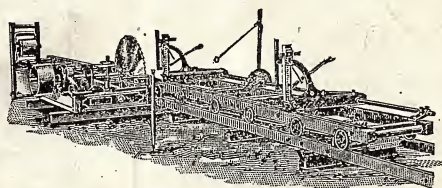
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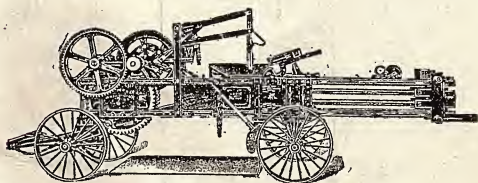
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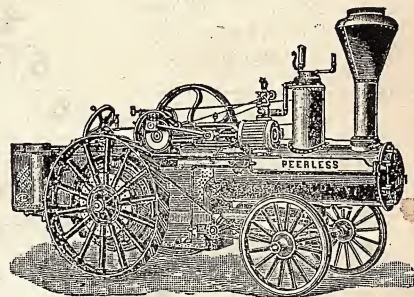


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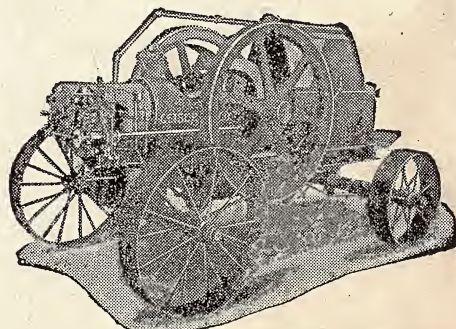


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increase of each, multiplied by 9, viz: 9 times 2 are 18; 9 times 3 are 27; &c., 9 times 9 are 81, as will be seen at the end of the row; and in the last row 25 times 2 are 50, &c., and at the end 25 times 25 are 625.

beneath which stands the

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10 15 20 25

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12 18 24 30 36

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14 21 28 35 42 49

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18 27 36 45 54 63 72 81

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20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90 100

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are 625.

A TABLE, showing the times of the revolutions of the Planets round the Sun, their distance and size.

SUN	Revolves round Sun	DAYS	Mean distance fr. Sun	is approximately	1,245,000 times
MERCURY.....	87.969	35	35	120th	
VENUS.....	224.741	66	66	45ths	
EARTH.....	365.256	91 1/4	91 1/4	14th	
MARS.....	686.979	140	140		
ASTEROIDS	Revolves round Sun	DAYS	Mean distance fr. Sun	is approximately	1400 times
JUPITER.....	4332.585	475	475	750 "	
SATURN.....	10759.220	873	873	73 "	
URANUS.....	30694.821	1754	1754	102 "	
NEPTUNE.....	60126.722	2750	2750		

as large as the earth.  
The moon revolves round the earth in 27 days, 7 hours, and 23 min.—her distance is 240 thousand miles—her size is one-fifth that of the earth.